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Title: DATA RECORDING METHOD AND DATA RECORDING DEVICE USING SAME		

**THIRD SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
(UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b)(4))**

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1. The 3rd Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) transmitted herewith is being filed before the mailing of a first Office Action after the filing of a Request for Continued Examination under § 1.114.
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3. The cited references were received in an Office Action dated May 30, 2006 in the corresponding Japanese patent application (copy enclosed).
4. It is requested that the enclosed references listed on the attached Information Disclosure Citation Form PTO/SB/08A be considered by the Patent Examiner in connection with the above-identified application and be made of record therein.

Independent consideration and acknowledgment of the enclosed references is respectfully requested.

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